IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re P	atent Application of)	
Jean-Sebastien Coron et al.)	Group Art Unit: 2131
Application No.: 09/913,884)	Examiner: M. T. Henning
Filed:	March 8, 2002)	Confirmation No.: 5848
For:	METHOD FOR COUNTERMEASURE IN AN ELECTRONIC COMPONENT USING A SECRET KEY ALGORITHM))	

REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION AFTER FINAL

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated July 19, 2007, having a period for response which extends through January 22, 2008 (January 19th being a Saturday and January 21st being a federal holiday), by a Petition of Extension of Time (three months) filed herewith, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration in light of the remarks that follow.

A Notice of Appeal is submitted concurrently herewith to ensure the subject application does not become abandoned before the Examiner responds to this paper.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.